



Clarksburg, W. Va., December 26, 1902

SUBSCRIPTION RATES.

Daily, delivered by carrier, - 10 cts. per week.  
Daily, by mail, in county, - 25 cts. per month.  
Daily, by mail, out of county, - six months, \$2.  
Daily, by mail, out of county, - one year, \$4.

Subscribers failing to receive the DAILY TELEGRAM regularly will please make specific complaint to this office.

The DAILY TELEGRAM can be found or sold at:  
Glen Elk Hotel news stand.  
Dauterman Brothers news stand, Pike St.  
Jackson Iron & Tin Plate Hotel news stand, East End.  
Ed. Rone's news stand, Third St.  
Traders Hotel news stand.

Largest Bona Fide Paid Circulation!

Advertisers desiring change of display advertisements must have their copy for same in this office before 9 o'clock a. m. to insure publication in that day's edition.

The release from jail of Ernest Kniseley, who killed John Wheeler, is causing considerable unfavorable comment and a great deal of indignation among Wheeler's friends and those who are familiar with the character of the victim. Connected with the release of Kniseley on bond were persons who would be up in arms if it had been a colored man instead of Kniseley, but circumstances alter cases and their ox is not gored. The details of the killing, as far as learned, are harrowing and it is asserted by some of the best citizens of Johnstown and surrounding country that it was one of the most atrocious ever committed in the history of Harrison county. Wheeler's friends are more than indignant. They are determined to bring Kniseley to justice and to push the case to the bitter end. They will resist every attempt to let the guilty escape the fate he invoked upon himself by his horrible deed. "An eye for an eye and a tooth for a tooth," is their declaration. In the fair name of justice and the good of the county it is not right that one who commits such a deed should be given other consideration than that its character deserves. The public at large should not suffer influences to bear on the case, through any peculiar sentiment or personal interest of any one. It was a deed which does not entitle the perpetrator to such kind consideration as has been given. The painstaking effort to obtain his liberty are not creditable to the county. In the eyes of the law he stands like all criminals. It is not fitting that mercy should be shown, until it is disclosed, even proven, that there were extenuating circumstances. It was an outrage upon justice that Kniseley should have been allowed to go free for days after he had committed the deed. That one whose act would result in the death of a fellow man should have been unmolested and allowed his liberty so long is an evidence that the administration of the law is lax with some people, when a deeper interest than that of doing their duty is at stake. Why did not the officers of Elk district act in the case and at once? Why was Kniseley given the opportunity to flee? These are pertinent questions and in behalf of the welfare of the people of this county we ask that they be squarely answered. Again, we demand for the people that the perpetrator of that awful crime be brought to justice.

Christmas this year was typical. An all kind Providence at the last moment covered the barren hills and muddy low lands with a spread of snow, emblematic of the immaculate character of the One whose birth the day keeps fresh in the minds of the people year by year. All had wished that it might be an old-timer, and such it was. Those wishes were realized in all their fullness. As a day of good cheer there has not, within our recollection, been one more successful. Happiness possessed the bosom of every human being, if a beaming countenance is an index. Several of the churches had appropriate, enjoyable services, conspicuous features of which were the attentions, kindnesses and remembrances to the children. To them it was a happy realization of their fond hopes of a year. Theirs was a joyous season at these entertainments, but that was not all. Every home had a place for the children and theirs was a goodly portion of the good cheer which pervaded every household. Gladness reigned supreme in the hearts of all civilized human beings, a gladness whose source was love, not only for those closest to them by the ties of nature, but for all mankind. It was a season when the human breast discarded all its jealousies and hatreds and opened wide for the entrance of good-will to all mankind. Truly was it a period of "Peace on Earth and Good Will to Man." Our quietude was almost perfect, especially so in this immediate neighborhood, almost a perfect peace. No tragedies were enacted to mar our peaceful pleasure, no crimes committed to disturb our happiness, no pestilence to sadden our hearts, nothing to divert our minds from a proper celebration of the day, and nothing to destroy the spirit of common brotherhood. It was, indeed, an event worthy of cherished memory.

The Baltimore & Ohio Railroad has placed on sale at all principal offices east of the Ohio River, Tourist tickets to points in Alabama, Florida, Louisiana, Mississippi, New Mexico, North Carolina and Texas; also Havana, Cuba, and Nassau, N. P., at reduced rates. For additional information call on agent Baltimore & Ohio R. R.

Despite the apparent sway of farce comedy and "show girl" performances, the old-fashioned melodrama still claims its devoted adherents. That this is so, without a doubt, is practically proven by the unstinted success which has greeted Willis Granger during his present tour with "Gypsy Jack." Not only is Manager Edward C. White highly pleased with the reception which has greeted his new star, but the latter has, by his intrinsic worth as a melo-dramatic actor, proven his fitness for the role of the kypsy boy, which is the leading character in the production.

Amusements

"Gypsy Jack," Jan. 23

Miss Katherine Willard is adding new laurels to her reputation by her rendition of "Aria" in the emotional drama, "The Power Behind the Throne." Miss Willard has proved her ability and exceptional talents in the production, so much so that her tour is one continuous ovation. Nothing is lacking in scenic effect, stage mechanism or costuming to keep "The Power Behind the Throne" up to the topmost standard, while the star's support "play up to her" with admirable skill.

The Tide of Life

Edinham, Ill., Nov. 7, 1902.  
"The Tide of Life" played my house on November 7, to a big house and gave entire satisfaction. The company is a well selected one and the scenery and electrical effects extraordinary. The specialties far surpass any presented here so far this season.

Return of a Great Production.

A pastoral, natural drama, flavored with the breezy local color of Tennessee life, describes "A Romance of Coon Hollow," which has been one of the substantial triumphs of the last eight seasons. This success is due to the magnificent scenic effects, among which are a realistic steamboat race between R. E. Lee and Natheez, and a cotton press in actual operation. But the play meets favor on worthier grounds. It is splendidly constructed, the characters are flesh and blood being the plot is dramatic and interesting, and the humor genuinely funny. The electrical effects, showing a night in a southern country place, are novel and pretty. A "red hot" troupe of darkey male and female plantation dancers, and an excellent vocal quartette, add volume to the entertainment. "Coon Hollow" will be seen at Grand Opera House, one night, Tuesday, December 30.

Three Special Tours to Florida—Baltimore & Ohio Railroad.

Only \$53.00 for the round trip from Clarksburg, W. Va., as specified below:  
January 27th—Tickets including, in addition to round trip railroad fare, sleeping car accommodations and meals enroute Washington to Jacksonville and return. Returning, leave Jacksonville February 11th.  
February 10th—Tickets including, in addition to round trip railroad fare, sleeping car accommodations and meals enroute Washington to Jacksonville and return. Returning, leave Jacksonville February 25th.  
March 10th—Tickets including, in addition to round trip railroad fare, sleeping car accommodations and meals enroute Washington to Jacksonville, but not for the return. Returning, tickets will be good on any regular train until May 31st, 1903.  
For tickets and detailed information call upon Baltimore & Ohio Ticket Agent.

Sole agents for L. y n's Celebrated Candies. Sold at popular prices at C. D. Sturm & Co., druggists. dec 6-tf

Watches, clocks and jewelry repaired neatly and promptly by L. Probst, Glen Elk. 8-1-tf



AN ODD BOAT.

One That Is Driven by Water as Well as Through Water.

Of course any boat, unless it happens to be an iceboat, a stoneboat or a gravity boat, may be called a water boat, but I am speaking of a boat driven by water as well as through water. Its principal parts are a tin pan and a tall lamp chimney. Close the small end of the chimney with a cork, into which a rubber, bent glass or lead tube is tightly fitted; prop the chimney up in the pan with the small tube projecting over the rim, fill the chimney with water and set the chimney craft afloat. It will move with the ease and grace of a turtle, though not so fast, until all the water has run out. You can produce a better imitation of speed by using instead of the pan a little wood-



THE WATER BOAT AFLOAT.

en boat of more shipshape model, with the water tube projecting over the stern, but unless the vessel is very broad of beam it will capsize.

In fact, the boat is made not to go fast, but to illustrate a principle by going at all, and another example of the same principle is given by the water mill now to be described.

The mill is made of the same lamp chimney or another, with corks or plugs in both ends. Instead of one water tube it has two, three, four or more, going out like the spokes of a wheel and bent at the end, all in the same direction. The chimney is set upright between two pivots, which press against the upper and lower plugs, and is filled with water through a hole in the upper plug, which also serves to admit air when the mill is turning. The only use of the top plug, in fact, is to give a point of support, and the vessel must be open to the air at the top. As the water flows out through the little tubes the mill turns in the opposite direction, and if there is not too much friction at the pivots it will soon be spinning rapidly. The water boat and the water mill are examples of what are called reaction machines. The principle they illustrate is that, generally speaking, you cannot move anything without moving something else in the opposite direction. In both of these cases as the water is forced out in the direction of the water tube the boat or the part of the mill from which it flows is driven in the opposite direction. The recoil or "kick" of a gun is another illustration. At the instant of firing the gun moves backward, if it can, but if you are holding it against your shoulder you feel the reaction as a "kick," and if the gun is heavily loaded you may move backward with great promptness.

A vessel might be propelled by firing heavy cannon from the stern.

Cannot Find His Nose.

If you want to amuse a party of friends, ask one of them to catch hold of his nose with his right hand and of his right ear with his left hand. After he has done so, tell him to place each hand as quickly as possible in a reverse position—that is, he must catch hold of his nose with his left hand and at the same time grasp his left ear with his right hand.

Two Marble Trick.

Place an ordinary marble in the palm of your left hand. Cross the first and middle fingers of the right hand (the middle over the first), so that you can feel the marble in the cross so made—that is, with the right hand side of the middle finger and the left hand side of the first finger touching the marble at the same time. Do not look at the marble while doing the trick. You will be astonished when you distinctly feel not one but two marbles. Practice a little while, and you can have lots of fun among your friends and with some of the older ones too.

**Sleepers.**  
A sleeper is one who sleeps. A sleeper is that in which the sleeper sleeps. A sleeper is that upon which the sleeper runs while the sleeper sleeps. Therefore, while the sleeper sleeps in the sleeper, the sleeper carries the sleeper over the sleeper, under the sleeper.

**Grandma's Glasses.**  
When grandma puts her glasses on And looks at me—just so— If I have done a naughty thing She's sure, somehow, to know. How is it she can always tell So very, very, very well?

If I should put the glasses on And look in grandma's eyes, Do you suppose that I should be So very, very wise? And it was That grandma had been naughty too?

REAL ESTATE AND INSURANCE.

A Happy and Prosperous Year to You!

THE NELMS-RIGGS CO.  
Rooms 26, 27 Lowndes Bld.

Office open until 8 p. m.

WANT DEPARTMENT

Want, Found and Lost notices, etc., will be published in this column at the rate of two cents per line per insertion, INVARIABLY CASH IN ADVANCE. Count six words to the line. Nothing accepted for less than 25 cents.

To insure publication in the current day's issue send in your "ads." in the forenoon.

ROOMS TO RENT—With gas and bath at 511 W. Pike street. nov 24-tf

FOR SALE—Team, wagon and harness. Inquire at this office. 12-25-tf

FOR RENT—One five-room cottage. Water and gas, Apply L. J. Carskadon, Glen Elk Produce Co. dec-2-tf

SITUATION WANTED—By experienced book-keeper. Twenty-three years of age. Best of references furnished. Inquire J. H. Dowman, West Virginia Heating and Plumbing Company. 11-5-tf

FOR SALE—The building on corner of 3d and Pike streets now occupied by the Clarksburg Produce Company. Must be removed by January 1st so work may be commenced on the new building. A great bargain. Call on or address W. MASON, Chapel street Home Phone. dec19-26.

LOST—On Main street, a lace collar in envelope from Boughner & Sons. Reward if returned to this office. 24-2t



Cut Glass For Wedding Gifts

is one of the most precious offerings that can be made. Rich, brilliant, beautiful and incomparably radiant on the sideboard our cut glass has a charm of its own. Each piece is hand cut in the latest patterns and extremely artistic in effect. Our prices are extremely low for high class goods in this line.

F. A. ROBINSON & SON,  
322 Main Street.

Telephone Service is the twentieth century's means of communication. Business rates less than 10 cents per day in the Consolidated Telephone Company's system.

Holiday Bargains...

in Rich Cut Glass. Bisque and Terra Cotta Novelties. Boundless profusion of New and Nobby Christmas Gifts. All the latest designs in Art Vases and Fancy China.

C. P. STOUT,

311 W. Pike. "GET IT AT STOUT'S" Home Phone 395.

Tailors

Do You Need a New Fall Suit or Overcoat?

If You Do, Call on

W. R. McKEE & CO.,

The Merchant Tailors.

321 Pike Street. Huch's Hotel Bld'g.

Peoples Bank

Peoples Banking & Trust Co

Capital, \$100,000.

Accuracy, Promptness, Liberality.

JOHN KOBLEGARD, President,  
Hugh Jarvis, Cashier.

CLARKSBURG, WEST VIRGINIA.

Tailoring

CHRISTMAS AND THE TAILOR

should come into a man's thoughts at the same time. At that season he should present himself with some new apparel. His social duties demand that he be well dressed.

OUR MADE TO ORDER CLOTHING

fills the requirements of men of taste as none other can. It is cut and tailored with the skill and care that is characteristic of the expert's work. It fits perfectly, yet costs very little more than the clothier's clothes.



C. L. Ford & Co.  
Rooms 3 and 4, Traders Annex.

Alexander & Alexander,

General Insurance.

ESTABLISHED 1870.

Oldest and Largest

agency in this part of the State.

Rooms 2 and 3, Main Street.  
Hornor Building.

Drugs, Etc.

Autumn Tonic

Try our Beef, Iron and Wine. It's a most fortunate combination. Beef nourishes; iron makes new blood; wine is the stimulant. The three together create an appetite, improve digestion, bring color to the cheeks, fill the arteries with invigorating blood, and build up health in most desirable ways.

50c per Pint Bottle.

STONE'S DRUG STORE,  
116 Third Street.  
Open Day and Night.

FRANK POWELL

Contractor of Wells Cellars, etc. Cement Cellars a Specialty. All Work Guaranteed.

Box 274 City, or 508 Monticello Ave

CONLEY & FORSYTHE

Room 5 and 6 Rookery B'g.

Accounts solicited for

New York Stocks and Bonds

and

Chicago Grain and Provisions,

either on Margin or Investment. Private wire.